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att: Health Services & Development
Agency.

I, along with most people I have
talked with in McDonald + Cleveland
area want to see

Erlanger Health Services

(Not Tennova)

Come to Exit 20 + I 75

They are asking for the same thing
for Tennova and we don't need another

(Tennova) in Cleveland within 2 miles
from the Tennova Hop

So please request

Erlanger HS to be built on Exit 20
near McDonald Tn.

Thanks

Barbara Knight

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GRADUATE EDUCATION

- 1995 M.P.H. ***Master of Public Health (MPH) in Occupational Health and Safety.*** University of Alabama at Birmingham School of Public Health, Birmingham, Alabama.
- 1969 D.O. ***Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine.*** Kirksville College of Osteopathic Medicine, Kirksville, Missouri.
- 1960 B.S. in Pharmacy ***St. Louis College of Pharmacy.*** St. Louis, Missouri.

POST-GRADUATE EDUCATION

- 7/94-6/96 ***Resident,*** Occupational & Environmental Medicine, University of Alabama School of Medicine at Birmingham, Birmingham, Alabama.
- 7/95-6/96 ***Chief Resident,*** Occupational & Environmental Medicine, University of Alabama School Medicine at Birmingham, Birmingham, Alabama.
- 12/71-12/72 ***Fellowship, Anesthesiology,*** University of Alabama School of Medicine at Birmingham, Birmingham, Alabama.
- 12/70-12/71 ***Resident, Anesthesiology,*** Grandview Hospital & Dayton Children's Hospital, Dayton, Ohio.
- 7/70-12/70 ***Resident, Anesthesiology,*** Still Hospital, Jefferson City, Missouri.
- 7/69-6/70 ***Internship, Rotating,*** Still Hospital, Jefferson City, Missouri.

Additional Education

November 06, 2013	<i>National Registry of Certified Medical Examiners</i> by Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FMCSA).
February 18, 1997	<i>Certified Independent Medical Examiner (CIME)</i> by the American Board of Independent Medical Examiners.
December 31, 1995	<i>Medical Review Officer-Certified (MRO-C)</i> by the Medical Review Officer Certification Council (MROCC).
July 10-12, 1995	<i>24-Hour Hazardous Waste Operations Training</i> , US Department of Energy, Richland Field Office, Richland, Washington, OSHA CFR 1910.120

Employment

9/2015-present	Medical Director, VOLKSWAGEN GROUP OF AMERICA CHATTANOOGA OPERATIONS, LLC
01/01-present	<i>Medical Director</i> , Bayer HealthCare LLC, (Merck & Company) (Schering-Plough HealthCare Products), Cleveland, Tennessee.
11/98-present	<i>Medical Examiner</i> , Polk County Tennessee.
11/2011-2016	Staff Occupational & Environmental Medicine Physician , Erlanger Health Systems, Work Force Corporate Health, Chattanooga, Tennessee. Resigned.
08/04-08/10	<i>Medical Director</i> , Blue Bird North Georgia, LaFayette, Georgia (plant closed)
06/02-03/06	<i>Medical Director, Consulting Physician</i> , United Knitting, Cleveland, Tennessee (resigned position).
05/02-12/04	<i>Consulting Physician</i> , Dow-Reichold Specialty Latex, LLC, Chickamauga, Georgia (plant closed).
06/96-12/06	<i>Medical Director</i> , Honeywell Friction Materials, Cleveland, Tennessee (plant closed).
06/96-4/2016	<i>Medical Director</i> , Rubbermaid Commercial Products, Cleveland, Tennessee. Resigned.

12/98-12/09 **Medical Director**, GE Roper Division, LaFayette, Georgia (resigned)

02/98-08/00 **Regional Medical Director**, HCA-Occupational Health Services, Chattanooga Region, Chattanooga, Tennessee (resigned).

03/96-08/97 **Medical Director & President** HEALTHWORKS of Tennessee, Cleveland Tennessee (resigned/retired).

07/94-06/96 **University of Alabama School of Medicine at Birmingham.** Resident in Occupational & Environmental Medicine, Birmingham, Alabama.

02/72-05/94 **President**, Cleveland Anesthesiologists, Inc., Cleveland, Tennessee (resigned to return to the University Alabama School of Medicine at Birmingham, Alabama).

02/72-05/94 **Senior Anesthesiologists**, Bradley Memorial Hospital, Cleveland, Tennessee (resigned to return to the University of Alabama School of Medicine at Birmingham).

Licenses

1971 Diplomat, National Board of Osteopathic Physicians

1972-12/2010 Alabama #DO-10 (inactive)

1972-present Tennessee #DO-83

1969-1997 Missouri #32247 (inactive)

1997-present Georgia #044704

Pharmacy license Missouri, Illinois, Georgia (inactive)

Professional & other activities:

- **Medical Examiner Advisory Council as a Representative of East Tennessee Medical Examiners. November 15, 2018-June 30, 2020.**
- **Board of Advisors:** UAB, Deep South Center for Occupational Health & Safety, May 1999-August 2000.

- **Medical Examiner/Coroner:** Polk County, Tennessee, November 1998-present.
- **Tennessee Tree Farm Committee:** 1/1998.
- **Resident Advisory Committee:** UAB School of Medicine at Birmingham, Department of Family & Community Medicine, Division of Occupational & Environmental Medicine 1997-08/2000.
- **Kirkville Osteopathic Alumni Board of Directors (KOAA):** Kirkville College of Osteopathic Medicine, 1992-1998.
- **Chairperson Annual Fund Raising Committee:** KOAA Board of Directors, 1997-1998.
- **Chairman:** Pharmacy & Therapeutics Committee, Bradley Memorial Hospital 1973-1994.
- **President:** Cleveland Anesthesiologists, 1973-1994.
- **Board of Directors:** Tennessee Society of Anesthesiologists, 1990-1994.
- **Delegate:** American Society of Anesthesiologists, Tennessee, 1990-1993.
- **Board of Directors:** Bradley-Cleveland United Way, 1991-1998.
- **Co-Owner/Founder, Board of Directors Tri-State Warehouse:** present.
- **Tennessee's Outstanding Tree Farmer:** 1987.
- **Polk County's Conservation Farm of the Year:** 1995.

Professional Memberships

- Tennessee Osteopathic Medical Association
- American Osteopathic Association
- American Osteopathic College of Occupational & Preventive Medicine
- American College of Occupational & Environmental Medicine

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BILL HASLAM
GOVERNOR
STATE OF TENNESSEE

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November 15, 2017

David D. Darden
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Dear David:

Today, it is my distinct pleasure to confirm your appointment to the Medical Examiner Advisory Council as a Representative of East Tennessee Medical Examiners. In the thorough, aggressive search for candidates, your individual characteristics and professional qualifications were exceptional among the number of nominees who expressed interest. This appointment is effective immediately and runs through June 30, 2020.

I consider it very important to ensure that Tennessee's boards and commissions are filled with the most dedicated and qualified citizens. I believe that your participation is certain to leave a positive impact on this board and the work it does.

Thank you for your interest in state government and for your willingness to serve your fellow citizens of Tennessee in this way. Please accept my very best wishes. I look forward to working with you and all Tennesseans to make our great state an even better place to live, work, and raise a family.

Warmest regards,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Bill Haslam".

Bill Haslam

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Letters to the Editor
Cleveland Daily Banner
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Dear Letter to the Editor

Please print the enclosed "letter to the Editor" in your earliest possible next edition.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "David D. Darden".

Dr. David D Darden

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Letter to editor Cleveland Daily Banner

Tennova Healthcare serving the community for 65 years.

To The Editor:

"Tennova Healthcare serving the community for 65 years". In 1955 Bradley Memorial Hospital began as a non-profit 52 bed healthcare facility established under the Federal Hill-Burton Hospital Program. The Hill-Burton Hospital Program obligated Bradley Memorial Hospital to provide a specific amount of free or reduced healthcare each year to the people it served.

The Bradley County Commission voted 13-0 September 19, 2005 to sell Bradley Memorial Hospital to Community Health Systems (Tennova), a for-profit health care provider. At the time of this sale Community Health Systems (Tennova) was the owner of Cleveland Community Hospital thus giving Community Health Systems (Tennova) 100% control of local hospital health care. 100% control of any entity is commonly referred to as a monopoly.

It is an insult to the many hundreds of the men, women, nurses and physicians who faithfully served the patients at Bradley Memorial Hospital for Tennova Healthcare to make the statement that Tennova Healthcare has been serving the community for 65 years. Community Health Systems (Tennova) was organized in 1985; you do the math.

I urge you to support the non-profit Erlanger Health System in their quest to build a local facility to serve the people of Bradley County and the surrounding area. This is called competition.



Dr. David D Darden

Ocoee, Tennessee

March 12, 2018

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Tennova submits certificate of need

Posted Saturday, March 10, 2018 10:49 pm

By BRIAN GRAVES

Tennova Healthcare–Cleveland has formally submitted its Letter of Intent to the state of Tennessee to build a freestanding emergency department in Bradley County.

The Letter of Intent was filed with the Tennessee Health Services and Development Agency. Tennova said it will file its formal application for a Certificate of Need later this week.

According to a statement from Tennova, the proposed freestanding emergency department is intended to increase access to quality, emergency care services close to home for residents of Bradley and Polk counties.

Tennova's move comes less than a month after Erlanger Health Systems filed paperwork in Nashville to construct a similar facility in the county.

The major difference is in location.

While Erlanger officials would not confirm it on the record, their public notices about their intent stated a location in the area of Exit 20.

Tennova's announcement is specific in location, stating that their proposed freestanding emergency department would be located at 680 Stuart Road N.E. in Cleveland.

✱ "Tennova Healthcare–Cleveland has been the community's hometown hospital for more than 65 years, and we understand the unique needs of our neighbors in Bradley County, as well as the increasing number of Polk County residents who rely on our services," said Coleman Foss, chief executive officer of Tennova Healthcare–Cleveland. "Our freestanding emergency department will help meet increasing local demand for emergency medical services so patients can receive the timely care they need without leaving the community."

Foss said the proposed facility will offer treatment for illnesses and injuries that require a higher level of care than an urgent-care facility or physician clinic can provide.

"Like a hospital-based emergency department, it would be staffed by board-certified emergency physicians, registered nurses and other patient-care providers and offer care 24 hours per day, 365 days per year to all patients, regardless of their insurance status or ability to pay," he said.

"We are privileged to serve our friends and neighbors in Bradley and Polk County and look forward to the opportunity to present our plan for enhancing their access to quality medical services," Foss said.

The board of the Tennessee Health Services and Development Agency will hear the requests from both medical entities at a hearing scheduled for June 27 in Nashville.

✱ Anyone from the public can request the state agency to hold public meetings locally in order to express their opinions on the facilities.

With the board hearing scheduled for June 27, state officials said it would be best to have any requests

turned in by late April or early May.

Those requests can be sent to Health Services and Development Agency, Andrew Jackson Building, 9th Floor, 502 Deaderick St., Nashville, TN 37243.



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June 5, 2018

Melanie M. Hill, Executive Director
Tennessee Health Services and Development Agency
Andrew Jackson Building, 9th Floor
502 Deaderick Street
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RE: CN 1803-015
Cleveland TN Hospital Company, LLC d/b/a Tennova Healthcare Cleveland

Dear Ms. Hill;

Please be advised that the Chattanooga Hamilton County Hospital Authority d/b/a Erlanger Medical Center intends to appear at the HSDA hearing on June 27, 2018 to oppose the above referenced Certificate of Need application. The applicant has not established that there is a need for the proposal, it is not financially feasible, does not offer quality and will not contribute to the orderly development of health care services. The application should be denied.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "J. Winick".

Joseph M. Winick, FACHE
Lead Executive

CC Lisa Childers, ACEO
Tennova Healthcare-Cleveland



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June 12, 2018

VIA HAND DELIVERY

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Re: Cleveland Tennessee Hospital Company, LLC d/b/a Tennova Healthcare-
Cleveland CN1803-015

Dear Melanie:

This is to provide official notice that our client, Starr Regional Medical Center, wishes to oppose the application of Cleveland Tennessee Hospital Company, LLC d/b/a Tennova Healthcare-Cleveland for the establishment of a freestanding emergency department in Cleveland, Tennessee. This application will be heard at the June meeting. Representatives for Starr Regional Medical Center will be present at the hearing.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Kim Harvey Looney

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Lisa Childers, ACEO - Tennova Healthcare-Cleveland